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Assignee ..... Micron Technology, Inc.  
Group Art Unit ..... 2812  
Examiner ..... Lynne Gurley  
Attorney's Docket No. .... MI22-1757  
Title: Methods of Forming Electrical Connections

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References –See Attached Form PTO-1449

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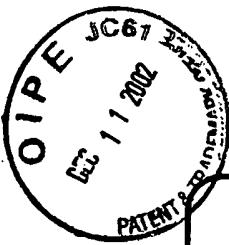
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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
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120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee	
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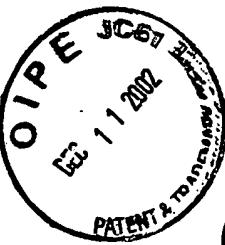
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